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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Schroder, Ulrich							
Applicant	herewith submits to the United Sta	ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/E	O/US) the following items and other information:				
1.	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
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	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.						
4.	The US has been elected (Article 31).						
5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))						
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).						
	b.  has been communicated by	the International Bureau.	·				
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).						
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).						
	a. is attached hereto.						
	b.  has been previously submit	tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))						
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	d. have not been made and v	will not be made.					
8.	An English language translation of the	ne amendments to the claims under PCT A	rticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).				
9.	An oath or declaration of the inventor	(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).					
10.	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary	Examination Report under PCT				
Items	11 to 20 below concern document(s	e) or information included:	$\sigma_{i,i}$				
11.	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
12.	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13.	A preliminary amendment.						
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37	CFR 1.76.	·				
15.	A substitute specification.						
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.						
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.						
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